

AMENDMENT #1

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TO: SB 215

BY REPRESENTATIVE TILTON

1 Page 1, line 1, following "systems":

2 Insert "; and relating to the use of the enhanced 911 surcharge revenue"

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4 Page 1, following line 2:

5 Insert a new bill section to read:

6 **** Section 1. AS 29.35.131(i) is amended to read:**

7 (i) A municipality may only use the enhanced 911 surcharge revenue for those
8 costs of the enhanced 911 system that are authorized in this subsection. The surcharge
9 revenue may not be used for any capital or operational costs for emergency responses
10 that occur after the call is dispatched to the emergency responder. The surcharge
11 revenue may not be used for constructing buildings, leasing buildings, maintaining
12 buildings, or renovating buildings, except for the modification of an existing building
13 to the extent that is necessary to maintain the security and environmental integrity of
14 the public safety answering point and equipment rooms. The surcharge revenue may
15 be used for the following costs to the extent the costs are directly attributable to the
16 establishment, maintenance, and operation of an enhanced 911 system:

17 (1) the acquisition, implementation, and maintenance of public safety
18 answering point equipment and 911 service features;

19 (2) the acquisition, installation, and maintenance of other equipment,
20 including call answering equipment, call transfer equipment, automatic number
21 identification controllers and displays, automatic location identification controllers and
22 displays, station instruments, 911 telecommunications systems, teleprinters, logging
23 recorders, instant playback recorders, telephone devices for the deaf, public safety

1 answering point backup power systems, consoles, automatic call distributors, and
2 hardware and software interfaces for computer-aided dispatch systems;

3 (3) the salaries and associated expenses for 911 call takers [FOR
4 THAT PORTION OF TIME SPENT TAKING AND TRANSFERRING 911
5 CALLS];

6 (4) training costs for public safety answering point call takers in the
7 proper methods and techniques used in taking and transferring 911 calls;

8 (5) expenses required to develop and maintain all information
9 necessary to properly inform call takers as to location address, type of emergency, and
10 other information directly relevant to the 911 call-taking and transferring function,
11 including automatic location identification and automatic number identification
12 databases."

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14 Page 1, line 3:

15 Delete "**Section 1**"

16 Insert "**Sec. 2**"

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18 Renumber the following bill section accordingly.